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DURING last month the interest-bearing National debt increased \$300. Yes; this is a Democratic Administration.

THIS is a Democratic “reform” Administration. Since it took hold of affairs eighteen National Banks have failed, making a loss to the people of some \$5,500,000. Let the “reform” proceed on Democratic lines.

THE advocates of Cobdenism, as opposed to the Protection of American industry, will not find much to support their Free-trade proposals in the report recently of the annual meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute of Great Britain. The President of the Institute said:

The year 1860 had been one of the worst ever known in the iron and steel industries. Those industries were still greatly depressed and the outlook was gloomy. The production of pig iron had fallen off 600,000 tons and steel 1,000,000 tons in a worse condition. The total falling off in 1860, as compared with 1859, amounted to £7,000,000. The markets were now weak, and there was no enough work for half the country's steel producing power.

That is to say, one-half the steel producing power of Great Britain has nothing to do, and is anxiously waiting for the repeal of the McKinley Law to throw open the markets of the United States to the products of Great Britain. That accomplished, the unemployed half of Britain's steel producers will find employment in producing steel for the United States at prices with which Americans could compete at the present rate of wages.

One of the speakers at the British Iron and Steel Institute declared that he saw “signs of betterment.” He neglected to state in what direction, but undoubtedly he meant on this side of the Atlantic, where GROVER CLEVELAND and his fellow Free-traders are engaged on their scheme for the betterment of Britain and the destruction of American industry.

Leading Local Paper.
The Cincinnati Tribune and Mayville Commonwealh say it recently reported that The Cincinnati Tribune and MAYVILLE PUBLIC LEDGER have arranged to have both papers delivered to THE LEDGER's city subscribers at MY CENTS. It is the first instance that has occurred for THE LEDGER since THE LEDGER is a bright, new paper, and THE Tribune is lucky if the report be true. It is possible that THE Tribune is coming thus with the lead in local paper up and down the river. It remains to be seen how the regular four cent daily will meet this departure for business.

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MINE HORROR.

Twenty-six Burned to Death in a Mexican Mine.

They Were Overcome By the Heat, Smoke and Poisonous Gases.

The Survivors. Seeing becomes Impossible. Direct Their Energy to Saving Property. All the Parties Responsible for the Management Under Arrest.

EAGLE PASS, Tex., June 5.—Full particulars of the Puentecito coal mine disaster as nearly as can be learned are as follows:

At 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, shortly after the locomotive left, the mine was discovered to be on fire, and smoke and flames were seen issuing out of the air shaft. About one-half of the fifteen miners working near the main tunnel, and those made their escape, leaving twenty-six of them to perish from the heat and smoke and from the poisonous gases which spread like lightning to every portion of the mine. When it was seen that all efforts were useless to rescue the imprisoned miners, every energy was directed to saving the property from destruction. A hand pump was placed in position near the head of the mine, water pipes laid into the mine, so far as could be done and hose attached and water poured into the burning timbers. A portable engine was speedily obtained from Fisher, Negron and in three hours the water was under control. There are twenty-four chambers in the mine, and the dead miners are supposed to be well to the front of the mine.

At 12 o'clock Sunday one body had been recovered from the seventh chamber and shortly after another, fearfully scorched and blackened, was brought to the surface. The tenth chamber has been reached, and men with ropes tie to their bodies, to effect the rescue, are fighting their way to where the bodies of those who perished are lying. Superintendent George Stevens structures are far and wide overcome by heat and smoke. He was prostrated, but was rescued. It is believed that by Tuesday the mine will be cleared of all bodies. The miners who are at present impossible to cope with the heat all the bodies will be recovered. All the miners employed were Mexicans and most of them have left definite families.

It is reported that the two parties responsible for the management of the mines have been placed under arrest pending an investigation of the cause of the disaster. But for the prompt action of the officials of the Mexican Government and their heroic efforts in endeavoring to save the dying and amazingly realistic wild West exhibition.

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THE RAIN

Kept Crowds Away From the World's Fair Sunday.

Less Than 60,000 People at the Second Sunday Exposition.

The Management Disappointed—The Visitors Were Nearly All Working People Living in Chicago—More Visitors From the West Than the East.

CHICAGO, June 5.—What the attendance at the World's fair might have been Sunday had it not rained, no one who has known the weather and the rainfall here nearly all afternoon and Sunday night. The total number of paid admissions was less than sixty thousand. The second open Sunday of the fair dawned bright and clear, and it was expected to be a great day. The railways, surface and elevated and the steamboat lines brought out their entire service in anticipation of an immense business, but they were disappointed.

"Up to 1 o'clock in the afternoon there was a fair amount of rain and scattered upwards of thirty-five thousand people to the 'White City.' About that hour an ugly, threatening black cloud arose in the west, and in less than an hour later the rain was falling in torrents. To make matters worse, the rain beat a perfect gale, and it thundered in a most uncomfortable manner. It was after 4 o'clock when the rain ceased and the sun came out again, but it was so late that the 34,000 not turned out in crowds, and later, many even in the bureaus of admissions estimated the total paid attendance would be less than sixty thousand people."

The visitors who attended the fair suffered a large amount of working class and working-class discomfort. Thousands of laboring men were out with their families and nearly all of them brought their lunch with them, and at noon the benches and seats scattered throughout the grounds remained one by one a battle-field. An official connected with the bureau of admissions, in speaking of the local character of the crowd, said that the out-of-town people had been coming to the fair all week, and were tired out Sunday morning, and had a rest so as to be able to take a fresh start Monday. About the only people who came out Sunday were those who could not attend during the week.

Another thing that was noticeable, the people who attended the fair, though not well dressed, and the rolling chairs were scarcely used at all. It was a crowd made up of people who had to work for a living and could afford few of the luxuries. The money-senders were at home resting. The guides and little did to do, and the electric launches last.

Nearly all the eastern state buildings were closed to the public, while the majority of the buildings erected by the western and middle states were open.

According to the registers found in nearly every state building western people are coming to the World's fair in much greater numbers, as a general thing, than those living in the older eastern states.

Carriages Captured and Kidnapped.

CINCINNATI, June 5.—The band of cattle thieves who attacked a cabin near Ophile and drove off a large portion of the stock have been captured and killed. The outlaws were bold in their operations and were making the country around their lair safe for their booty when a party of ranchmen overtook them and made an attack. The thieves stood their ground and returned the fire. The battle lasted almost an hour. Three ranchmen and four of the thieves were killed and the remainder of the band attempted to escape, but were captured. The cattle were recovered.

A Carnegie Enterprise Falls.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 5.—The Carnegie Land Co. and the Carnegie Corp. of America, which were in agreement on the financial status and on inability to make collections and lack of assistance of non-resident stockholders have been forced into a temporary assignment to protect the property of their creditors.

The financial situation has been so great that the bonds of the companies could not be sold, and the amount due them could not be collected.

Stolen Child Recovered.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 5.—Mamie Schwartz, the 5-year-old child of Valentine J. Schwartz, pressman on a St. Paul newspaper, who was kidnapped a year ago, has been recovered at West Superior, Wis. She was in the possession of a switchman, named Allard, who had received her from a family named Lavine at Duluth, with whom she was left by a woman who abducted her.

Famine Poisoned.

COLUMBUS, O., June 5.—A peculiar case of poisoning developed Sunday in the family of E. P. Wright, a solicitor, living at 731 Market street. He had dined Saturday evening with his wife and two children became very ill, and were at the point of death Sunday. It is supposed that they were poisoned by eating undercooked corn.

To Reduce Freight Rates.

New York, June 5.—The Southern Pacific Monday will meet the reduced freight rates of the Canada Pacific from New York to San Francisco. It will cut under all classes where the Canadian Pacific quotes rates of more than \$1 a hundred pounds. The Southern Pacific cuts 10 per cent out over its rivals.

Forced to Drink Acid.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 5.—Wm. Moore was assaulted on the street here Sunday by two unknown men. While one of them held him, the other forced him to drink the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid. He is in a serious condition and may not recover. His assailants escaped.

CARRIER PIGEONS.

Experiment to Be Made By the Government in Managing the Service.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.—The interest in pigeons as messengers bids fair to continue. On Monday the United States steamer Constellation in leaving Annapolis for the annual practice cruise will carry Amherst, Washington and Richmond birds, which will be liberated down the bay or the canals and at sea. Philadelphia will be at Annapolis to carry forward the word brought to the naval loft. More important than this, however, is the development of George C. Childs' new loft with pigeons for messenger service in the Public Ledger building. Pigeons have been used acceptably for ten years past, but always to a disadvantage, as the birds were borrowed and not only returned to the house, but returned to houses at a distance from the news centers, and time was lost.

TERRIBLE DISTRESS.

Five Thousand Arkansans Made Homeless by a Cyclone.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 5.—Great distress and suffering exist among the people of Hope, Ark., and vicinity. The terrible cyclone of May 30 has left thousands of homes in ruins and destitute circumstances. Mayor Blanche of Little Rock arrived here Sunday on a relief mission. He issued an address to the business men of St. Louis, Chicago, Little Rock and Memphis, asking for aid. It is signed by the merchants of Hope. Mass contributions have been received in full funds. The mayor says: "The public has no idea of the storm and its results. It extended over a territory of seventy-five to ninety miles in breadth, in many sections destroying houses, fences and crippling many people. As far as known, three persons were killed and about twenty injured."

New Hope for the Army.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The ordnance department of the army is making preparations to begin the manufacture of the new gun, called at the Springfield armory immediately after the beginning of the new fiscal year. The rifle is of very small caliber intended to use smokeless powder, and is a magazine arm. It is estimated that within one year from July 1 next to net out of the cost of manufacture will be about \$100,000, of which is made possible by the use of the most modern labor-saving machinery. This number of rifles will probably suffice to arm the entire infantry and artillery branches. The cartridge, however, has not yet been designed, but will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

Italy's King Reviews His Troops.

ROME, June 5.—A grand review of the troops in the Piazza Macastri at the capital Sunday, it being the anniversary of the proclamation of the constitution of the Kingdom of Italy. King Umberto I, his consort Queen Margherita, the King of Sardinia, forty-five years ago. After the review his majesty presented to the troops the medals which have been awarded them for conspicuous bravery. Sunday evening, the principal streets of the city were brilliantly illuminated in honor of the event and great crowds of people are everywhere to be seen intent on viewing the decoration.

Kansas Grasshoppers in Ohoio.

BUCYRUS, O., June 5.—Several specimens of the Kansas grasshopper were found in the country near Bucyrus, and the farmers are fearing an invasion from this pest. Quite a number of farmers report seeing large grasshoppers, but did not know what kind they were until C. Aumiller, who owns a farm near Bucyrus, found a Kansas as well as Ohio, pronounced them the genuine hopper so much dreaded in Kansas. Specimens brought to this city were fully three inches long.

Anniversary of Garibaldi's Death.

ROME, June 5.—A largely attended service was held in the Pantheon to celebrate the anniversary of the death of Garibaldi which occurred on June 2, 1882. It is estimated that considerably over 3,000 people took part in the ceremonial and at least fifty societies were represented by delegates. The bands which accompanied them played national airs which were received with enthusiasm.

Result of the Walking Contest.

VIENNA, June 5.—The walking contest is over and has resulted in the victory of the Austrian team, which won first place, who is described as from Saxony. The result is hailed with delight by the advocates of vegetarianism, who claim that a man can go a great deal of physical labor and with a minimum of sleep, if he will only follow their teachings.

More Organ Recitals.

WICHITA, Kan., June 5.—The hat of this appointment in Washington has established such respectable proportions that it has been practically agreed no further appointments from that state will be made. The organists congratulated themselves on having had the best chance at the pail counter which they improved to the fullest extent.

Cleveland at Home.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—President Taft and First Lady were fishing yesterday in Horseshoe Bay Sunday morning, returning Washington before 8 o'clock. He shows the effect of his outing in theanned appearance. Immediately on his return he sent for Private Secretary Thurber and the two spent the afternoon in the office.

His War Plans.

PAULING, O., June 5.—Cashier Spangler of the Potter's bank, which assigned Friday, denies the statements that he left town he could not be found. He says that he was at home at the time of his assignment by President Ayres, and ever since then answering all the questions of the press.

Columbian Immigrants' Opportunity.

MANCHESTER, June 5.—The Columbian immigration commissioners send to New York for the purpose of finding immigrants who land here to come to this country. Senator Hurtado, Columbian minister at Washington, has been ordered to proceed to Rome.

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He is in a serious condition and may not recover. His assailants escaped.

China Ready for Her.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Every thing is

in readiness at the Palmer house for the

reception of the Princess Enidale and

her suite. According to the original

programme she should have reached

Chicago a week ago, but the New

York activities necessitated a change

in the schedule and her abiding

place was changed from the Auditorium

hotel, where the duke of Veragua and

his suite have been staying, to the

Palmer house. Here eleven rooms

are reserved for the distinguished

visitor and her entourage. They are

furnished in green and gold, decorated

with flags and flowers. The sleeping

chamber is the one that has been occu-

pied at different times by the late Em-

peror Pedro of Cleveland,

Gen. Grant, Lord Lytton, Lady

Aberdeen and other distinguished

people of all countries. The corridor

leading to the suit will be guarded by

officers of the Spanish army, and the

guards will be prohibited to sit or

eat and sleep as much as she pleases

without exposing herself to the gaze

of the vulgar herd when she is not so inclined!

The gold plate in Jackson park, which

is to be presented to the Indian chieftain

of the country, was finished by the en-

graver Saturday morning. Upon her

arrival the depot will be guarded by a

company of cavalry from Fort Sheridan.

The carriage will be drawn by four

white horses and the driver will be an

armed police led by twelve trumpeters,

will clear the way to the hotel. No

one will be permitted to send her invita-

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